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For: INFORMATION HANDLING SYSTEM INCLUDING DOCKING STATION WITH DIGITAL AUDIO

CAPABILITY

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Minor changes have been made to the specification. Claims 1 and 11 are amended and claim 21 is added. Claims 1-21 remain in the application.